

**RECOMMENDING COMMITTEE AGENDA**  
**SPECIAL RECOMMENDING COMMITTEE MEETING OF: SEPTEMBER 27, 2004**

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- CALL TO ORDER
- ANNOUNCEMENT RE: COMPLIANCE WITH OPEN MEETING LAW

**MINUTES:**

PRESENT: MAYOR GOODMAN and COUNCILMEMBERS REESE, BROWN, WEEKLY, MACK, MONCRIEF, and WOLFSON

Also Present: CITY MANAGER DOUG SELBY, DEPUTY CITY MANAGER STEVE HOUCHENS, DEPUTY CITY MANAGER BETSY FRETWELL, CITY ATTORNEY BRAD JERBIC CITY CLERK BARBARA JO RONEMUS, and DEPUTY CITY CLERK GABRIELA S. PORTILLO-BRENNER

ANNOUNCEMENT MADE – meeting noticed and posted at the following locations:

City Clerk's Bulletin Board, City Hall Plaza, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Skybridge

Court Clerk's Office Bulletin Board, City Hall Plaza

Las Vegas Library, 833 Las Vegas Boulevard North

Clark County Government Center, 500 S. Grand Central Parkway

Grant Sawyer Building, 555 E. Washington Avenue

(3:04)

**AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE**

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**DEPARTMENT: CITY ATTORNEY**

**DIRECTOR: BRADFORD R. JERBIC**

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**CONSENT**

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**DISCUSSION**

**SUBJECT:**

**NEW BILL:**

**Bill No. 2004-67** – Adjusts the ward boundaries of the City. Proposed by: Bradford R. Jerbic, City Attorney

**Fiscal Impact**

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**No Impact**

**Amount:**

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**Budget Funds Available**

**Dept./Division:**

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**Augmentation Required**

**Funding Source:**

**PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:**

The City Charter authorizes the City Council to adjust Council ward boundaries from time to time in order to address significant population imbalance among Council wards. This bill will adjust the ward boundaries in accordance with a redistricting proposal designed to restore population balance among Council wards.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

This bill should be submitted to a Recommending Committee for review, hearing and recommendation to the City Council for final action.

**BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:**

1. Bill No. 2004-67
2. Map of Proposed Wards
3. Table of Precinct Populations

**COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:**

**COUNCILMAN REESE recommended Bill 2004-67 be forwarded to the 10/20/2004 Full Council (not to be heard before 4:00 p.m.) with direction to present additional maps for review and consideration. MAYOR GOODMAN and COUNCILMEMBERS BROWN, WEEKLY, MACK, MONCRIEF, and WOLFSON concurred.**

**MINUTES:**

NOTE: A Verbatim Transcript is made a part of the Final Minutes.

MAYOR GOODMAN declared the Public Hearing open.

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City Attorney

Item 1 – Bill No. 2004-67

APPEARANCES:

OSCAR GOODMAN, Mayor

BRAD JERBIC, City Attorney

FREDERICK KESSLER, retired Judge

GARY REESE, Councilman

MICHAEL MACK, Councilman

STEVE WOLFSON, Councilman

JOHN MORAN, JR.

MARILYN MORAN

PAUL HEJMANOWSKI, 708 Campbell

STEVE MORRIS

PETER THOMAS, 3016 Campbell

CAROLYN RUDIN, 3020 Campbell

DONALD MOSLEY, 1127 Westlund

JOHN HUNT, 2600 Pinto Lane

FRANK ALBANO

STEVEN QUINN, 350 S. Rancho

STEVE HANSEN

LOIS TARKANIAN, 2905 Justice Lane

LEE HAINES, 123 Las Vegas Boulevard

BEATRICE TURNER, West Las Vegas resident

JOHN JACKSON, 3011 Pinto Lane

LISA HUNT, 2600 Pinto Lane

HELENE WALKER, Bel Aire

JERRY McNEAL, Marble Manor resident

JANET MONCRIEF, Councilwoman

LARRY BROWN, Councilman

NOTE: MAYOR GOODMAN stressed that he does not want any City voter to be deprived of his/her right to vote for six years.

NOTE: MAYOR GOODMAN directed staff to publish future proposed redistricting maps in the newspaper and to provide them to local television stations to inform the City residents of possible changes.

MAYOR GOODMAN declared the public hearing closed.

(3:04 – 4:39)

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CITIZENS PARTICIPATION: PUBLIC COMMENT DURING THIS PORTION OF THE AGENDA MUST BE LIMITED TO MATTERS WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THE COMMITTEE. NO SUBJECT MAY BE ACTED UPON BY THE COMMITTEE UNLESS THAT SUBJECT IS ON THE AGENDA AND IS SCHEDULED FOR ACTION. IF YOU WISH TO BE HEARD, GIVE YOUR NAME FOR THE RECORD. THE AMOUNT OF DISCUSSION ON ANY SINGLE SUBJECT, AS WELL AS THE AMOUNT OF TIME ANY SINGLE SPEAKER IS ALLOWED, MAY BE LIMITED.

**MINUTES:**

BEATRICE TURNER, West Las Vegas resident, stressed that the citizens of all the wards should be notified about any district changes so that they can voice their opinions.

JOHN HUNT noted that COUNCILWOMAN MONCRIEF previously reviewed the map, yet did not oppose the changes.

STEVE QUINN indicated that a handicap ramp should be installed on the east side of City Hall so that citizens do not have to go around the building.

FRANK ALBANO objected to the accusing comments of MR. HUNT and for not giving COUNCILWOMAN MONCRIEF a chance to reply. He opined that there are a lot of words to describe the comportment of MR. HUNT.

JOHN MORAN, JR., requested he and his wife be allowed to meet with JUDGE KESSLER to review the map his wife put together. He also requested ample notification of any changes be provided in the future.

(4:39 – 4:43)  
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**THE MEETING ADJOURNED AT 4:43 P.M.**

Respectfully submitted: \_\_\_\_\_  
GABRIELA S. PORTILLO-BRENNER, DEPUTY CITY CLERK  
October 12, 2004